

## BIG SANDY NEWS.

Entered at the postoffice at Louisa Ky., as second-class matter.

The State Senate by a vote of 19 to 9 yesterday passed the bill appropriating \$20,000 for a statue of the late Gov. Goebel to be placed in the new State House.

Parrish Brothers, Woodford county tobacco growers, have sold 400,000 pounds of Burley tobacco, their last year's crop, amounting to over \$40,000, to the continental Tobacco Company.

William B. Turpen, of Minora, Ind., has sued Thomas Ketcham, a saloonkeeper, for \$2,000 damages, claiming he sold him whisky that caused him to get into a fight in which he received a permanent injury.

Russia's request that the Black sea fleet be permitted to pass the Dardanelles has been met by hard conditions from the Porte. Russia has rejected the terms as preposterous, but has renewed its request.

A race riot followed the lynching of the negro at Springfield, Ohio, the whites burning the negro district. A regiment of State troops were sent to the place to stop the riot.

William Joseph, aged eighteen years, while in the presence of a young lady in Breathitt county, drew a revolver and killed himself without any apparent cause. Another case of a fellow being "dead in love."

The accounts of the Chicago World's Fair were closed Friday with the payment of a final dividend of 4.65 per cent, to all of the 2,000 stockholders, making a total of 14.65 per cent. returned in dividends.

Former President Grover Cleveland has written a letter to a member of Congress which was read in the House denying the statement that a negro had dined with him at the White House while he was Chief Executive of the nation.

Joseph Smith, the head of the Mormon Church, testifying before the Senate Elections Committee in the Senate, admitted that he is in open defiance of the law in maintaining and living with more than one wife. He also says he obeys or violates the "revelations of God" just as he chooses.

Gov. Beckham has signed the bill extending the common school term to six months, and the bill reappropriating the Sheriff's revenue in order to meet the expenses entailed by the extension. He also signed the bills reappropriating the appellate districts, appropriating \$75,000 for improvements at the Western Asylum for the Insane, and repealing certain portions of the exemption laws.

A mob of nearly one thousand men took a Kentucky negro from the jail in Springfield, O., and shot him to death. The negro had killed a policeman of Springfield. The mob broke the jail doors down with railroad irons and ignored the efforts of the police and Sheriff to prevent the lynching. Now what do you think of that? Who would have thought these noble-minded people who preach justice and the equality of the races could have so mistreated a schoolmate? They preach the elevation of the colored race, and when it comes to practice they elevate him by means of a rope thrown over the arm of a telegraph pole, amuse themselves by shooting at the lifeless body for thirty minutes. That is exactly what they did in this instance. It will be more interesting than ever to read the holy howl that will go up from Ohio the next time a lynching occurs in the South.

Captain Pitts has reinforced his crew on the C. & O. Railroad extension, by bringing seventy-five colored men from North Carolina, they going up on the O. & B. train this morning to Bull Run, where his camp is now located. The old-time politeness of the Southern negro was manifested by their behavior at the station.—Ashland Independent.

## CHESTNUT.

During the recent rise the boats have been kept busy supplying our upper towns with provisions. Eliot Williams, and wife of Meeks branch, visited relatives here Sunday.

Quite a crowd attended church here Sunday.

Elias George Jr. attended church here Sunday.

Frank Preston and wife of Bumblebee, visited relatives here.

Joe Davis, of Georges Creek, passed through here Saturday en route to White house.

Ed Brown and Wiley Williams called on their friends here.

Lizzie Murray visited Rhode Murray's family Sunday.

Wesley Sturgill of Brushy has been visiting relatives here.

Dora Jane Borders visited Lydia Borders Saturday.

Monnie Williams passed through here recently.

Wallace Vanhose visited relatives here Sunday.

Virgil Borders has fever, but is thought to be improving.

Jas Meeks, of White house was here Sunday.

Eliot Williams is preparing to move to Martin county.

Lon Brown and Mintie Miller were married recently on Georges Creek. Both are deserving young people.

G. Wells, of Whitehouse, was here Sunday.

Jas. Meeks and Henderson Sparks traded horses recently.

Bradder Bones.

## KAVANAUGH.

Farmers are plowing and making preparations in general.

Bur Wright and Mac Stanforth are fencing on a large scale.

J. P. Rankins, who was bitten by a mad dog last week, became alarmed and left here on last Saturday evening train accompanied by Mac Stanforth for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will receive hydrophobia treatment.

Mrs. J. P. Rankin and two daughters, Mrs. John Kinner and Miss Annie Rankins, were here Saturday to see the husband and father leave.

Alf Ward has charge of the store and postoffice during the absence of Mr. Rankin.

Lewis Falkner, Alf Ward and A. M. Kennedy all went to the burg a few days ago.

A. J. Cornwell has moved to our vicinity. Mr. Cornwell is sexton at Kavanaugh Chapel.

James Rice is up Sandy in the cross the business.

R. L. Pritchard made a business trip to the burg Saturday.

Henry Havens and Will Falkner are attending a series of protracted meetings at Shilo.

Quite a number of our young men attended church just across the river Sunday.

Phil Turman contemplates seeing the World's Fair open at St. Louis. Others contemplate a trip later on.

Joe Kendrick has purchased a fine horse from Mrs. John Lockwood.

Wilford McSorley has returned from a business trip to Portsmouth, Ohio.

Sally and Flossie Turman were calling on Mrs. B. P. Wright Sunday.

Mrs. A. M. Kennedy visited at Mrs. A. W. Ward Sunday.

A ten pound girl arrived at C. W. Havens Sunday, of which he is very proud.

Fred Hensley was calling at James McSorley's Sunday.

Mrs. John Turman visited Aunt Lucinda Falkner Sunday.

Church at Kavanaugh Chapel next Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

Siplunk.

## OVERDA.

We are glad to say the sick of our neighborhood are all improving.

Lum Clevenger has moved into the house vacated by Samuel Large.

Aunt Mollie Evans was up to E. M. Clevenger's Monday.

Jennie Adams made a trip home Monday to see her father who is sick.

There will be church at Daniels creek the 3rd Sunday in this month.

William Young has moved to Greenup county. We are sorry to lose him.

There will be church at Irish creek the 4th Saturday and Sunday in this month.

Lyss Young is sick.

Will Elswick and Lizzie Dondy were married on the 3rd. We wish them a happy life.

Rube Adams and Columbus Evans were in Louisa Thursday.

Grandma Evans has her new house nearly completed.

Mrs. Rebecca Adams paid home folks a visit this last week. Our farmers are all hauling around getting their best land cleaned up.

Drew Adams called at Wm. Holbrook's Saturday.

Cleave Large has gone to Catt to stay this summer.

Miss Cassie Holbrook contemplates a trip to Irish creek soon.

Miss Emma Young was the guest of Miss Virgie Adams Sunday.

Caleb Large will farm with Richard Young this summer.

Blue Bell.

Mont Caperton cut Harry Wellman, son of Lot, very severely yesterday, and is now in jail in default of \$200 bail.

## SPRING ARRAY FOR BIG SANDY PEOPLE.

Every line of our stock is now very complete with Spring goods. Each section presents a new and inviting appearance to the shoppers. And, without waiting for our formal Spring Opening, we extend Big Sandy people this advanced invitation to visit our store. Read the following items and note the advantages to be gained by shopping in Huntington.

**Beautiful Spring Suits** are now ready for you to survey. Crashes promise to be a popular material for spring wear. Styles have changed but little—the jackets are about waist length—mostly Eaton effects with separate belts. Everything neatly trimmed with braid and buttons. All colors are there—choose your suit now while the stock is complete. Prices range from..... **\$10.00 Upward**

**Silk Section—Our Special Pride** This extensive assortment of Silks contains the plain colors in Modes, Tan, Blue, Green, Red and Black. It matters not what your choice of color may be, for purpose you may wish the silk, that which is most suitable for your need will be found here.

**Numerous Changeable Combinations.** This collection shall be the most attractive section during the Spring season. Here you will find every imaginable combination that lends variety to the many purposes for which Silk may be used. The most delicate blend of colors, forming changeable shades that are extremely beautiful. For instance, the Grey and Blue, the Blue and Tan, Green and Red, Blue and Red, Corise and Grey, Corise and Green, etc. These combinations are very popular for foundations for this wool dresses materials—Top Dress Skirts and Petticoats. Strictly all silk material in the regular widths. The regular 75 cent and 85 cent qualities to be sold from the start..... **68c**

**Wool Crash Suitings For Easter Gowns.** Almost everything in this Spring's Suitings is to be of light color—Satinings are to be of light color—The finest results of this novel weaving are to be seen here. Effects in light grey with blue, light grey with red, medium grey with black, also green. Then there is grey checked in many colors with slight showing of the cross weave, which will make very fancy suitings for spring wear..... **85c to \$2 per yd.**

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The man who insures his health is wise both for his family and himself.  
You may insure health by guarding it. It is worth guarding.  
At the first attack of disease, which generally approaches through the LIVER and manifests itself in innumerable ways  
**TAKE**

**Tutt's Pills**  
And save your health.

## Inez.

(Martin County News.)

The case of Isaac Muncy for the killing of Ven Bartram, was tried and found not guilty.

Rev. G. W. Fitzgerald of Louisa, is a business visitor in Inez this week.

Wm. Parsley, who assaulted and robbed a peddler in this county, some time ago, was sentenced to the pen for five years.

J. H. Cooper, of Louisa, representing the Singer Sewing Machine Company was here Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. M. T. Kirk and two children left last Friday to join her husband at Keystone, W. Va., Mr. Kirk has been at Keystone for the past two months and has decided to locate there permanently. We regret losing Mr. and Mrs. Kirk from our town and wish them success in their new home.

Mrs. Elijah Dings died at her home near Inez Monday.

Dings had been sick for a long time and bore her sufferings as a true Christian. She was a member of the United Baptist Church in Inez, and loved by all who knew her. Her infant child died last week, and another, about two years ago, died the day following Mrs. Dings' death. The bereaved husband and children have our deepest sympathy.

## VESSIE.

Robt. Barnett Sr., of Keturah, visited friends on Little East Fork Sunday.

Miss Ida Shortridge has been visiting friends in Boyd county.

Miss Laura Riffe, of Mayhew, was the guest of Miss Nora Shortridge Sunday.

Arthur Justice, of Ryefield, was on Little East Fork Sunday.

Mr. Walter Miller, one of our leading contractors, has been sick for several days.

Miss Pearl Justice, of Lizzie, was the pleasant guest of Miss Stella Cunningham Saturday and Sunday.

.....The children of our P. M. have measles but reports say they are doing all right.....Roscoe Shortridge has been on the sick list for several days, but is convalescing at this writing.....Y. B. Shortridge, who has been in the mountains for several weeks buying cattle, returned last week with a lot of the finest cattle ever brought from that region.....Messrs. G. N. Fields and Dave Davis, of Boyd county, passed through here last week on their way to the upper counties to buy cattle.....Rev. W. H. Sergeant filled the pulpit at Trinity Sunday and delivered one of the most interesting sermons that has been preached here in a long time.....James.....will move, this week, from Little East Fork, to Russell

Branch and Frank Adkins of Tuscola, will move into the house vacated by Mr. Coffey.....Master Jake Neal, who has been working on Lost Creek for several days, was here Sunday smiling as usual.....Mrs. Lora Belcher, of Ratcliff, has been visiting her parents here the past week. She returned home Sunday accompanied by her husband.....Mr. Pharoah Marcum, of Cadmus, was here last week trying to find a location, but farmers are not eager to sell their land.....Prof. Joel Cunningham will move into his new house at Miller Gap this week.....Misses May Belcher and Nola Neal are visiting friends at Whites Creek, W. Va.....It is rumored that Rev. Wesley Estep will take unto himself a "better half" in the near future.....Miss Martha Barrett, of Connersville, Ind., is visiting friends here and at Cadmus.....The Belcher boys will begin cutting the timber they bought of Wm. Howell, this week.....The Daniel boys, of Catt, will be here next week to make ties for Ed. Queen.....John Holbrook is the first to break the sod for corn.....Clarence Justice, of Lizzie, was on the Howell Branch last week.....Mrs. May Miller invited a large number of friends and had a car-pool-rag taking last Friday. The affair proved to be quite sociable and will be long remembered by those present. 2 Jacks.

## OLIOVILLE.

Jerry Cooksey who has been very low with pneumonia is improving.

A. J. Webb has moved his grist mill back home and is now ready for grinding.

James Childers, of A-hland, was calling on A. J. Webb and family last Sunday.

C. L. Osborn and J. D. Boggs were calling on friends at Jettie Sunday.

Marion Jordan is again wielding the yard stick in L. Thompson's store.

Milton Griffith visited home folks Sunday.

D. W. Webb, of Willard, will soon move into the house vacated by L. P. Webb.

Mrs. Sophia Webb, who was very badly burned sometime ago, is slowly improving.

We are glad to say we have no more new cases of smallpox.

M. V. Thompson has his new house completed and has moved into it.

Grover Webb attended church at Irish creek Sunday.

Mr. Alexander, traveling salesman, was calling on our merchants at this place last week.

James Compton has returned to his home at Busseyville after a week's stay at this place where he has been working on a mill boiler for A. J. Webb.

J. F. Thompson is highly pleased over his new telephone box.

Sephas Adams and his grandfather, Milton Griffith, were out opossum hunting a few nights ago.

Miss Rosa Pennington was calling on Mrs. Sophia Webb recently.

A. J. Webb sold to G. W. Calvin and W. V. Roberts a fine lot of sheep and hogs a few days ago.

Mrs. Jennie Metcalfe, of Ratcliff, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Adkins.

Dave Davis, and George Fields passed here enroute to Blaine to hunt for some cattle which they lost a few days ago.

L. P. Watson, who has been attending school at Bowling Green, has returned home.

Valentine Watson visited Bl.

## THE LOUISA NATIONAL BANK

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father-in-law Larkin Graham on Blaine recently.

Wm. Graham passed through here with his sawmill enroute to Tuscola where he is engaged to saw for Kelley and Wood.

Grover and Wesley Webb were at Covey Adams Monday on business.

J. C. Adams is building a new house near Polly's Chapel.

L. Thompson has returned from a trip down the river. Roxy

## DONITHON.

Our Sunday school is still progressing nicely, and while we do not claim the "blue ribbon" or that we have the best school in the county, still we think we have one of the best schools and one that has come up through great opposition. We would be glad to hear from other schools as we believe it is the first step toward Christianity and Christianity leads to civilization and in a civilized country is where we want to live.

Mr. Nave, the store contractor on the N. & W. is starting a heavy force of men to work at Powder Mill and Bull branches putting in two arch culverts which had been cut out for some time, with the expectation of being finished. We learn that L. K. Vinson has the contract for furnishing timbers and lumber for said contractors. We notice among the poles he has furnished for derricks that there is one eighty feet long and L. K. says he could have got them longer if it had been necessary.

Uncle George Chapman is beautifying the school grounds by putting up a new plank fence and building a stile across it. He says Miss Hannah will not have so much trouble watching the children to make them keep the drawers laid up.

One morning last week Ed Lambert was made very angry by a large hawk carrying off a fine chicken of his. He hurried for his gun, but the hawk was up to that game and was gone before he returned. Ed knew the chicken was heavy and the hawk could not fly far with it so he being a trapper finding where the hawk had eaten all the chicken he wanted for one meal, placed the trap there and when the hawk returned for the second meal, not being on the trail-trap-racket, he placed his foot just so as to catch one toe in the trap. Just ask Ed if that hawk will catch any more chickens.

Merried, at the home of the groom Mr. Robert Chapman to when Mrs. Olive Frasher. Also, Mr. warmer.

Sheridan Dobbins, of Gallup, to Miss Alice Maynard, of Maynard Branch. They are both deserving young couples and we extend to them our hearty congratulations.

Miss Gypsy Shannon, of Irad, was calling on Belle Vinson Sunday.

Miss Clara Lambert and Miss Belle Vinson are going to Louisa Tuesday on a shopping expedition.

Misses Grace Chapman, Grace Maynard and Shirley Patrick were horseback riding Sunday.

Blue Beans.

## MADGE.

Millard Wellman, who has had a severe case of pneumonia, is improving under the skillful aid of Dr. L. B. Dean.

George Haws is erecting a blacksmith shop.

G. R. Roberts and James Sturgill were guests of John Damron and family Sunday.

John Frazier will visit Dr. A. P. Baulfield the eye specialist at Buchanan.

Mrs. John Bradley has returned home after a week's visit with relatives at Louisa.

Henry and Logan Haws, who have been working on Tag river, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Drew Haws and Charley Stewart make frequent visits to the Poor House.

O. J. Vaughan attended church at Smoke Valley Sunday.

Cora Hutchison is improving.

Mrs. Lizzie Moore passed through here enroute to Dr. A. P. Baulfield's at Buchanan.

Henry Haws, Asberry Hutchison and Donnie Gambill will start for Colorado about the 20th of this month.

Ferguson Nolen was at Ashland a few days ago.

D. W. Wellman, who fell and hurt his ankle some time ago is able to be out again.

Miss Nora Roberts has been suffering with rheumatism.

We were very sorry to learn through the columns of the BIG SANDY NEWS of little Bonnie Haws having smallpox.

S. Wellman has sold his mules to Gus Moore of Charley.

J. Muncy and wife passed through here Saturday.

James Haws is talking of going to Ohio soon.

Miss Mertie Pigg attended church at Dry Ridge Sunday.

There is some talk of starting up Sunday School at this place when the weather gets a little better.

Thelma.

A number on a Fine Silver Tea Set goes free with every Dollars worth of Goods.

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Dry Goods and Notions, Underwear, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Hosiery and Clothing

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